BISHOP E. TALBOT.

Charges Against Him Have Been Preferred by Rev. I. N. W. Irvine, a Deposed Priest.

HE WILL BE GIVEN A HEARING.

At Present the Bishop Declines to Make Any Statement in Regard to the Accusations.

Charges Will Be Made Against the Person Responsible For the Delivery to Dr. Irvine of a Confidential Letter From Talbot.

Bethlehem, Pa., Dec. 31.-Rt. Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, the Episcopal bishop of Central Pennsylvania, against whom Rev. Ingram N. W. Irvine, of Philadelphia, is about to make a presentment, is absent from the city. Friends say he is on a regular tour of visitations among the parishes of his diocese.

He has declined to answer any of the serious charges to be lodged against him or to enter into the controversy now going on.

'Wait until everything comes out," he is quoted as saying. "I am more anxious than any one else to have this investigation and settle for all time these false rumors and charges."

Charges of Libel and Falsehood. New York, Dec. 31.-Charges of a serious nature are to be made at the Bishop Talbot hearing against the person who is responsible for the delivery to Dr. Irvine of a copy of a confidential letter addressed by the bishop to Rev. Dr. Samuel Upjohn, of Philadelphia. It is reported that the original of the document is in the possession of the bishop himself and was not destroyed. The copy on which the charges of libel and falsehood against Rt. Rev. Dr. Talbot were based was obtained from a duplicate sent to Rev. Dr. John Fulton, who disclaims all responsibility for the act. Dr. Fulton knows who is responsible for the delivery of a copy to Dr. Irvine, it is reported, and he will bring an accusation against him.

Bishop Consulted An Attorney. Philadelphia, Dec. 31.-Bishop Talbot held a conference Friday at Sunbury, Pa., with Col. C. M. Clement, who is an attorney and who has been close to the bishop all through the trouble he has had with Dr. Irvine, who was unfrocked by the bishop some time ago. Col. Clement was secretary of the Central Pennsylvania diocese until it was recently divided. He is now secretary of the Harrisburg diocese which is the name of the jurisdiction carved out of the Central Pennsylvania diocese. After the conference Bishop Talbot would not talk. All that Col. Clement would say was: "At present I have nothing to say, but I may be able to give out a statement a little later."

Returned the Medal.

Chicago, Dec. 31.-John C. Johnson, a young artist of this city, who received from the St. Louis exposition a medal for a picture exhibited by him has returned it to the exposition authorities, saying he did not deserve

King Alfonso to Wed.

Madrid, Dec. 31.-The betrothal of King Alfonso to Princess Victoria, of England, is prominently announced in the newspaper Epoca, regularly used by the government in making semi-official announcements.

THE MARKETS.

Flour and Grain.

Cincinnati, Dec. 30.-Flour-Winter patent, \$5.50@5.75; fancy, \$5.15@5.85; family, \$4.25@4.60; extra, \$3.75@4; low grade, \$3.20@3.50; spring patent, \$6.10@6.25; fancy, \$5@5.25; family, \$4.70@4.90; Northwestern rye, \$4.15@ 4.25. Wheat-No. 2 red quotable at \$1.20@1.21 on track. Corn-Sales: No. 3 mixed, track, 46c; rejected mixed (damp and dirty), track, 43c. Oats -No. 2 mixed quotable at 331/2c on track.

Chicago, Dec. 30.-Wheat-No. 2 red, \$1.17½; No. 3 do, \$1.12@1.14; No. 2 hard, \$1.121/2@1.141/2; No. 3 do, \$1.05 @1.121/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.171/2@ 1.20; No. 2 do, \$1.10@1.15; No. 3 spring, \$1.01@1.15.

Live Stock.

Cincinnati, Dec. 30.—Cattle—Heavy steers, choice, \$5.10@5.25; fair to good, \$4.35@5; butcher steers, extra, \$4.85 @5; good to choice, \$4@4.75; heifers, extra, \$4.15@4.25; good to choice, \$3.35 @4.15; cows, extra, \$3.35@3.50; good to choice, \$2.75@3.25. Calves-Fair to good light, \$6.25@7.25; extra, \$7.50. Hogs-Good to choice packers and butchers, \$4.80@4.85; mixed packers, \$4.70@4.80; light shippers, \$4.35@ 4.50; pigs, 110 lbs and less, \$4@4.30. Sheep-Extra, \$4.50:

THE DEFENSE RESTED.

Celebrated Marcum Damage Suit Is Drawing to a Close.

Winchester, Ky., Dec. 31.-The celebrated Marcum damage suit is drawing to a close. The defense rested its case Friday afternoon and the evidence in rebuttal will probably be fin-Ished Saturday. Judge Fenton Friday afternoon ordered the attorneys on both sides to have the instructions they wished given to the jury ready by Saturday evening. The jury will be charged and the speaking will begin Monday. The jury is an exceptionally good one, composed entirely of farmers. But the evidence is so contradictory that a hung jury is prob-

Cicero Noble Friday testified that he saw Curt Jett and Tom White together before Marcum was killed and saw them shortly afterward going toward the river. W. D. Bacon, circuit clerk, testified that bonds for Tom White and Shelby White, for the murder of Marcum, were signed by Jas. Hargis, Ed Callahan and S. H. Hurst. Bonds of Curt Jett, for several different crimes, were signed by Elbert Hargis and William Lindon. Several witnesses testified that the reputation of Capt. Ewen was sood and others said it was bad.

WITH CLOTHING ABLAZE.

Badly Wounded Man Mounted His Horse After Injuring His Assailant.

Owingsville, Ky., Dec. 31.-James Riddle, charged with the murder of Odd Rogers, was lodged in jail here. Rogers made a dying statement, in which he said that Riddle placed a double-barreled shotgun against his body and fired. The powder set Rogers' clothes on fire. He jerked the gun from Riddle's grasp and broke it over his head. Rogers then mounted his horse, and, with his clothing ablaze, rode some distance to a tenant house on his farm, where the fire was extinguished, and a vain attempt was made to save his life.

Riddle is badly injured from being struck by Rogers. The Riddle and Rogers families have been at outs from trouble originating over a line fence four years ago. Their families are numerous and trouble is feared.

WITH ONE BULLET.

Two Persons Were Killed at a Kentucky Ball.

progress of a ball at Craftsville, three that post soon after the 4th of March. miles from here, in Letcher county, Mrs. Sillar Jane Bates, 30, was killed Porter's successor, but at this time by the accidental discharge of a re- no announcement of his decision can volver which fell from the pocket of be made. Adam Holbrook.

Miles Holbrook, 16, a schoolboy, was hit by the same bullet and fatally wounded.

Negro Jockey to Be Hanged.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 31.-The scaffold upon which Earl Whitney and Claude O'Brien, the youthful Tennessee desperadoes, were hung a year ago, was taken to Winchester Friday to be used in the execution of John Hathaway, the Negro jockey, under sentence of death for the murder of a Negro woman. Hathaway is to be hanged January 3.

Lexington Elopers Married.

intendent of the cloak department in Rome. a local store, quietly secured a marto Covington, where they were mar-

Dental Pedagogues Elect.

following officers: President, Dr. S. H. Guilford, Philadelphia; vice presi-Tenn.; secretary and treasurer, Dr. W. mins. E. Wilmott, Toronto, Can.

Dime Cost His Life.

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 31.—Jess Ingram and Rufe Neece fell out over a dime and the former was shot dead at a church entertainment. After paying a dime for himself Ingram refused to pay for his wife. A fight and the shooting followed.

fourth-class postmasters were appointed for Kentucky: High Bridge, Jessamine county, Wm. H. Humble; Roanoke, Larue county, J. W. Spencer; Three Springs, Hart county, Lucy A. Edwards.

Newport, Ky., Dec. 31.-Coroner Higgins has completed the compilation of the statistics of his office for 1904. The report shows that there were 46 sudden deaths that demanded investigation on the part of the coroner.

Newport, Ky., Dec. 31.-Friends of Edward Hending, one of the seven men sent to the penitentiary for long terms for assaulting Mrs. Gleason, are making strenuous efforts to have Gov. Beckham pardon him.

DIPLOMATIC CORPS

The President is Devoting Some Time in Consideration of Important Appointments.

SEVERAL CHANGES WILL BE MADE

Joseph H. Choate, Ambassador to the Court of St. James Will Be Succeeded by Whitelaw Reid.

Gen. Horace Porter, American Ambassador to France, Will Retire Soon After March 4-Successor Not Been Decided On.

Washington, Dec. 31. - President Roosevelt is devoting some time at present to consideration of important appointments in the diplomatic and consular service of the government, which are to be made formally by him at the beginning of the new administration next March.

It is known that he has decided upon several changes. Joseph H. Choate, ambassador to the court of St. James, has indicated that he does not desire longer to continue as the representative of this government in Great Briain and he expects, when relieved, to return to America, to look after his personal interests here. He will be



WHITELAW REID.

He Is Slated to Succeed Ambassador Choate as Our Representative at London. succeeded by Whitelaw Reid, proprietor of the New York Tribune, who

was one time minister to France.

Gen. Horace Porter, American am-Mayking, Ky., Dec. 31.—During the bassador to France, will retire from The president has decided on Gen.

Tower, McCormick and Storer.

Charlemagne Tower, American ambassador to Germany, and Robert S. McCormick, American ambassador to Russia, will continue at their respective posts.

Bellamy Storer, ambassador to Ausria-Hungary, will continue as the American representative to the court of Vienna unless the president should decide to transfer him to another post in the diplomatic service.

As to the ambassadorship to Italy, nothing of a definite nature can be said now. It has been rumored that Ambassador George V. L. Meyer is to succeed Gen. Porter at Paris, but it Lexington, Ky., Dec. 31.-J. W. can be said that such a change is not Cooper, a young contractor of this certain. The probabilities are that city, and Miss Sarilda Fisher, super- Ambassador Meyer will remain at

Gen. Powell Clayton having decided riage liecense here Friday and eloped to relinquish his post as ambassador to Mexico at the end of the present administration, he will be succeeded by Edwin H. Conger, now United States minister to China. It is not expected Louisville, Ky., Dec. 31 .- The Insti- that Mr. Conger will continue long at tute of Dental Pedagogues elected the the Mexican capital, as he is understood to intend to return to his home state of Iowa to be a candidate for dent, Dr. D. R. Stubblefield, Nashville, governor in succession to Gov. Cum-

Minister to Mexico.

When he leaves the City of Mexico, he will be succeeded by David E. Thompson, of Nebraska, who at present is American minister to Brazil. Mr. Thompson accepted the appointment to Brazil with the understanding that he would be appointed to a higher place in the diplomatic service as soon as opportunity offered. Minister Conger will be succeeded at the court Washington, Dec. 31.—The following of Pekin by William W. Rockhill, at present director of the bureau of American republics, who is recognized as an authority on all subjects pertaining to China and the Chinese.

In succession to Frank H. Mason, consul general to Berlin, John Lewis Griffiths, of Indianapolis, will be named. It is expected that some changes will be made in the corps of American ministers but at this time they are not obtainable for publication.

Will Accept Lower Wages.

Chicago, Dec. 31.-The rail and steel mill employes of the Illinois Steel Co. have decided to accept lower wages and 12 hour working day proposed by the company to go into effect January 1 in the plant at South Chicago.

THE STOCK WAR.

It Is Believed That Thomas W. Lawson Has Called It Off.

Boston, Dec. 31.-Is Thomas W. Lawson about to call off his war against the Standard Oil and "the system?" On top of such a rumor Lawson and several important men from out of town were in conference from 1 o'clock until early in the evening, when they left the city together, Lawson leaving word that he would return to Boston Friday.

State street is at a loss to understand the meaning of the conference, if it does not have an important bearing upon either Standard Oil or Amalgamated Copper affairs.

The rumor that Lawson has engaged passage for himself and family to Europe, where he will recuperate from the strain of smashing the market and banging Standard Oil and Amalgamated, is denied by Lawson's closest business associates, who say they do not know of any plans Lawson may have for leaving the country.

THE COAL SHIPMENT.

About Seven Million Bushels Were Sent South From Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Dec. 31.—Hardly had the channel of the Ohio river at Merryman been cleared after the accident to the Crescent's tow, and navigation reopened Friday, than the Clyde, of the Clyde Coal Co., sunk a coal boat and a flat at the same point and as a result further coal shipments on the present rise are improbable. The series of accidents within the past few days have kept the shipments far below the amount expected.

The obstruction at Merryman will not be removed until Saturday, and, as the rivers are beginning to fall, the coal companies are not making preparations for sending any more fleets down the river. The total shipments during the rise amounted to about seven million bushels of coal and seven model barges of wire and nails. There remain more than 15,000,000 bushels of coal loaded in the harbor and pools.

DR. LEROY S. CHADWICK.

The Steamer Carrying Him to This Country Sighted Off Fire Island.

New York, Dec. 31.-The steamer Pretoria from Hamburg, Dover and Boulogne, bearing Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, of Cleveland, husband of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, as a passenger, was sighted southeast of Fire Island Saturday morning.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 31 .- The bulletin announcing the sighting of the steamship Pretoria off Fire Island was given to a deputy sheriff at the county jail Saturday morning. He took it immediately to Mrs. Chadwick, who was asleep. When awakened and informed of the vessel's safety, Mrs. Chadwick said she was glad to hear the news as she had worried some over the delay in the vessel's arrival.

REPAIR BARNS BURNED.

Two Firemen Were Killed and Three Others Hurt By a Falling Wall.

Chicago, Dec. 31.-Fire Friday night completely destroyed the repair barns of the Chicago Union Traction Co., at 40th and Western avenue, entailing a loss of \$150,000. Two firemen were killed, two others and one spectator were injured by the falling of a portion of the wall. The dead are: Capt. Pul Dic, Lieut. John Pyne.

Injured: Charles Anderson, fireman, cut on face and hands and legs bruised; Capt. John Miller, fireman, crushed about body and cuts on head; August Kraut, severely hurt about the shoulders.

JUDGE JOHN J. JACKSON.

Oldest Judge in the Federal Judiciary Presented to the President.

Washington, Dec. 31.-Senator Elkins, of West Virginia, Friday presented to the president John J. Jackson, the oldest judge in the federal judiciary. Judge Jackson presides over the United States district court for the northern district of West Virginia. He is 80 years old and was appointed district judge by President Lincoln 44 years ago. He was a member of the old Virginia legislature in war times and delivered a notable speech in opposition to secession.

Theodore Thomas Seriously III. Chicago, Dec. 31.-Theodore Thomas, the famous musical director, is seriously ill with pneumonia and his physicians admitted Friday night that they were becoming alarmed. Dr. C. F. Elyk, who is in attendance, says he has a chance for recovery.

Judge Hobson III.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 31.-Judge J. H. Hobson, of the court of appeals, who will under the law succeed to the chief judgeship January 1, is quite ill not considered dangerous.

ALLEGED FRAUDS.

Colorado Supreme Court Ordered a Sweeping Investigation Into the Late Election.

TO OPEN DENVER BALLOT BOXES.

The Registration Lists, the Campaign Expenditure and All Election Matters to Be Investigated.

As There Are 204 Ballot Boxes It Is Evident That Several Months Will Be Consumed in Their Examination.

Denver, Dec. 31.-Ciretching its hand so as to cast a shadow over every man and woman in any way implicated in election frauds of the city and county of Denver on or before or after November 8, the supreme court Friday ordered an investigation so sweeping in its scope that every phase of the election may be scrutinized and everything that bears in any way upon the election may be made known by judicial inquiry.

Alva Adams, democratic candidate for governor, who appeared from the returns to have been elected, but who has declared that he does not want the office tainted with fraud, asked the court to open every Denver ballot box, but the order of the court goes beyond the mere examination of the ballots and provides for an investigation of the registration lists, the campaign expenditures and in brief all election

Attorney Samuel W. Bedford, for Adams, and Attorney Henry J. Hosey, for the republicans, asked the court to make its order of such breadth that the court need not stop at anything in the investigation. The court said that was what it meant to do and instructed the lawyers to agree upon the wording of the order and present it to the court for approval next Tuesday

Handwriting Experts to Be Appointed.

As there are 204 ballot boxes it is evident that several months will be consumed in the examination of their contents by the two handwriting experts to be appointed for this work.

It is expected that the supreme court will be asked to make an order placing special watchers at the courthouse to guard the registration books until such time as the investigation is

"There are probably 20,000 fraudulent registrations on the books of the city and county of Denver," said Attorney James H. Brown, the principal adviser of the republican city central

F. A. Williams, chairman of the republican committee, has published the following statement over his signa-

"Our investigation into the conduct of the recent election in Denver has developed the fact that approximately 20,000 fraudulent votes were cast or counted for Alva Adams in this city. There is now no reasonable doubt that Gov. Peabody and the entire republican state ticket was fairly elected on November 8, by the votes of a large majority of the legal voters of this

The Situation Complicated.

What effect, if any, the court's action Friday will have upon the course of the legislature in respect to canvassing the vote for governor and determining whether Peabody or Adams is entitled to the seat has not become apparent. Chief Justice Gabbert particularly stated the court's investigation will not be permitted in any way to interfere with any investigation that may be set on foot by the general assembly.

Republicans as well as democrats admit that the opening of all the Denver boxes complicates the political situation in Colorado, but believes that it means there will be no "rough house" as predicted.

It was announced late Friday that the republican plan to unseat democratic senators had been modified and that possibly only Senators Born and Healey, who were seated by the democratic majority on contests two years ago, would be turned out.

It also was reported that on the evidence of influential republicans the proposition to memorialize the United States senate to unseat Senator Teller would be abandoned.

Mitchell Leaves For Washington.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 31.-Senator John H. Mitchell, who came to Portland to appear before the federa! grand jury in connection with the land fraud investigations which are being prosecuted by the government, left for Washington Friday night.

Covington, Ky., Dec. 31.-Mary Overman, who lived alone here, was found at his home in this city. His illness is dead in an old arm chair Friday after-

EVENING BULLETIN.

DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY. SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1904.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair to-night and Sunday.

THE whole of Texas, the Birmingham News says, seems anxious to have President Roosevelt make that State a visit. It is said that even the boll weevil is offering no objections to the invitation.

"Kehoe, I'm awfully sorry you are not coming back," remarked Speaker Cannon (Rep) to the former before he left sion. Washington recently. "You have made a very useful member, and I am frank to say that it is a pity that a Democrat of less influence and usefulness was not left at home instead of yourself," Similar expressions from leaders on both sides of the house show how Mr. Kehoe is appreciated by his colleagues in Congress.

In commenting on the deplorable affair at Lexington the other night in which a young girl lost an eye by the explosion of a giant fire-cracker thrown at her by some miserable miscreant, the Herald says: "The aggregate amount realized from the sale of all the fireworks in the United States can not restore the sight which one fire-cracker has destroyed, and would the fleeting pleasure of the whole world derive from their use be compensation for the blighted life of this lovely young woman?"

River Items.

The Courier will leave Cincinnati Monday, resuming her trips in this trade.

The Greenland left Cincinnati this morning for Pittsburg and all way landings.

A gang of men are at work on the Frank Gilmore at Middleport trying to raise the sunken towboat. The Gilmore sank suddenly a week ago.

Captain Gordon C. Greene will be general manager of the Pomeroy and Cincinnati Packet Company. Captain Wm. at 2 p. m. E. Roe will be the business manager and look after the offices.

The following is the new law concerning better fire protection on steamboats: Rule 4, requires all passenger steamers to be provided with fire buckets, barrels and axes, instead of on inland steamers. only, as before. Requirement of steam fire branches in lamp lockers, oil rooms and light compartments, which compartments must also be lined with metal. Requirement that steam fire pumps should be capable of throwing an "effective stream of water for a distance of not less than fifty feet through at least two fire chester, assigned Wednesday. connections each, on the main deck and each deck above the main deck. Every such pump shall be filled with a gauge and a relief valve adjusted to lift at 100 pounds pressure which takes the place of a prorate table of different sizes of pumps for steamers of different tonnage. Requirements for portable fire extinguishers on all passenger steamers proportioned in number to the tonnage of

There will not be a men's meeting tomorrow afternoon at the Y M. C. A. on account of the funeral of Mr. M. F.

Mollie McElroy, who with her husband is under arrest at Huntington charged with conducting a green goods scheme, broke down and wept when arraigned before the United States Commissioner. She says she didn't want to write the letters, but claims her husband forced her to.

The damage suit of Riley Ham versus Dan T. Fischer, growing out of the unfortunate shooting of Ham by Fischer during the holidays three years ago at Flemingsburg. was settled by compromise Wednesday. The judgment was for \$2,000 with nearly a year's interest, making it about \$2,120. Ham's costs were \$352 50, and for full settlement Fischer pays about 60 cents on the dollar and pays his own cost in full.

TESTIMONIAL BENEFIT.

Magnificent Program of Solos and Classic Dramatic Readings by the Hosts and Local Talent.

The following parties will participate in the testimonial benefit entertainment at the opera house next Tuesday evening: The participants will be Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Hoyt, Miss Florence Wadsworth, Mrs. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Wood and others, including the Maysville Orchestra. The courtesy of the theatre and orchestra has been tendered to Mr. Hoyt for the occa-

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Grand OvertureMaysville Orchestra
Faust and Mephisto Mr. Edward N. Hoyt
Vocal Solo
The Raven
OvertureOrchestra
Scene from IngomarMrs. Hoyt
Selections from Toyland
Miss Florence Wadsworth
Scene from tragedy of VirginiusMr. Hoyt
Piano aMrs. James S. Wood
Instigation Scene from Julius Cæsar
Mr. Hoyt and Mr. Wood
OvertureOrchestra
Quarrel Scene; Brutus and Cassius
Mr. Wood and Mr. Hoyt
Ophelia's Mad Scene, ("Hamlet")Mrs. Hoyt
Rip Van Winkle
Shabby Genteel (Impersonation of)
Sol Smith Russell
SelectionOrchestra
"The Wrong Hat" a
Funaral Nation

Funeral Notice.

Officers and members of DeKalb Lodge No. 12, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at their hall Sunday at 1 o'clock p. m. to attend the funeral of brother M. F. Marsh. Services at the Christian Church at 2 o'clock. Our sister lodges are invited. M. F. WILLIAMS, N. G.

Jno. W. Thompson, Secretary.

Officers and members of Ringgold Lodge No. 27, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at their hall Sunday at 1 o'clock p. m. to attend the funeral of brother M. F. Marsh of our sister lodge, DeKalk No. 12, I. O. O. F. Services at the Christian Church W. S. YAZELL, N. G. Simon Nelson, Secretary.

The members of Limestone Lodge No. 36, K. of P., are requested to meet at the Castle Hall Sunday at 1 o'clock p. m. to attend the funeral of Bro. M. F. Marsh, P. C. Members of other K. of P. lodges GODFREY HUNSICKER, C. C. invited. John L. Chamberlain, K. of R. and S.

Members of the local lodge of Redmen are requested to meet at their wigwam Toledo with his big company and his Sunday at 1 p. m. to attend the funeral name is the best advertisement for his of Brother M. F. Marsh.

H. W. Drenan, a groceryman at Mar

A MATTER OF HEALTH



For Sale!

THE

DIENIER HOTEL

on Market street, opposite the Central. A chance for a bargain.

REAL ESTATE AGENT.

The Toledo Times says: "This is the sixth year the Great Lafayette has played show." He comes to Maysville, Wednesday January 11.

W. H. Key, fire and accident insurance.

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OUR FRIENDS

We wish to say our trade has been highly gratifying. We fully appreciate their liberal patronage and hope they may continue with us during the New Year. Our best efforts shall be made to please all. Wishing for our friends a prosperous New Year. Respectfully,

TURNER & MYALL,

MAYSLICK.

The Best **New Year's Resolution**

You can make and stick to is to "ring out" the old pair of Shoes or Rubbers and commence 1905 by trading at SMITH'S, where you get substantial Footwear at a low price and a generous supply of Globe Stamps with each cash purchase & & &



W.R. SMITH & CO.

A MOST PECULIAR SALE OF

Women's Coats

In the expenditure of Christmas shopping women were obliged to neglect their own needs, so this announcement should appeal to jaded purses. It also offers an unusual opportunity for the profitable investment of Christmas money.

About fifty stylish Coats are involved-not one of them in existence before Thanksgiving. It sounds absurd to say these Coats are worth \$14 to \$20 and we are selling them for \$10, but coat selling time is over though wearing time has only fairly started.

There is a good proposition of the higher priced Coats up to \$20, but of course earliest comers will have best choosing.

Impossible to give descriptions, for over twenty styles are included, several lengths, light, loose and semi-fitting effects in cheviots, tweeds, kerseys and broad-

\$14 to \$20 Coats for \$10-not an everyday chance.

D. HUNT & SON.

COLD WEATHER CLOTHING

For men and boys. Ear Muffs, Pulse Warmers, Mufflers, Gloves, Wool Half Hose, Wool Underwear, Flannel Pajamas and Night Shirts, Overcoats and heavy Suits.

GEORGE H. FRANK & CO.,

USEFUL CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

Nothing will be more appreciated by the men for Christmas gift than a pair of NULLIFIERS. To those who dislike low-cut house slippers NULLIFIERS are just the thing. We carry these in tan and black.

J. HENRY PECOR.

City Taxes For Year of 1904

By special order of City Council, on all taxes paid on or before Saturday, December 31, 1904, no penalty will be charged. On January 1st a penalty of 10 per cent. will be added to all unpaid.

JAMES W. FITZGERALD,

CITY TREASURER.

Dear Sir: Please ask your WIFE, DAUGHTER or SISTER to Read MY FREE Offer.



WISE WORDS TO SUFFERERS From a Woman of Notre Dame, Ind. 4

"Your ten days' treatment gave me instant relief, and though I have suffered from displacement and painful, irregular menstruation for several months, I am confident your treatment will cure me."

MRS. HATTIE N. ROBINSON, Kuttawa, Ky.

"Physicians recommended an operation, but your Home Treatment quickly cured me of soreness and inflammation of the womb and ovaries."

TILLIE WILLIAMS, Camp Nelson, Ky. "Your Home Treatment was a God-send to me. It brought away the tumor and removed soreness and ulceration of the womb in a short time."

MRS. RECIE CRIM, Port Royal, Ky.

MRS. M. SUMMERS, Box 408, Notre Dame, Ind., U. S. A.

An Early Morning Blaze.

A two-story frame dwelling belonging to Hon. Wm. H. Cox on Walnut street, Fifth ward, occupied by Mr. John Tolle and family was partly consumed this morning at 1 o'clock. The fire started from a defective flue. It is understood that Mr. Tolle had \$300 insurance on his household goods, which were burned.

Durrett Bros. have sold a crop of tcbacco to Thomas L. Best at 12 cents.

1617 Verciles; the germ of all diseases of the blood, it is not an impossibility to cure. True it is a giant in its class, but we have its master, a simple, harmless treatment containing no mineral elements which are dangerous. If taken properly will positively cure. No notoriety and no detention from business. Sent prepared on receipt of \$5. JEE-POAL REMEDY CO., 519 Main St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Rev. H. M. Curry will preach at Laytham's Chapel Sunday morning at 11 a. m. and at 2:30 in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Richards have moved to Portsmouth.

The Linen Sale

Thousands of people are waiting for this sale. We searched every nook and corner of the market to buy the best goods for the least money. We want this sale to be a great saving to every person. We started months ago to get ready. Our first purchase was made last May. Whenever we found a great bargain we bought. Take for instance No. 403 Linen, worth in any store in the country \$1.25 per yard, in our sale at 89c. Please look at it and compare with any \$1.25 value anywhere. One large department store in Cincinnati offered to take the entire lot. The sale starts Monday, January 2nd. AT 10 O'CLOCK EACH DAY we will sell 500 sample pieces of Linen good for napkins, towels and small fancy pieces. This sale will include

Table Linens, Napkins, Lunch Cloths, Towels, Handkerchiefs, and 403.

Doilies, Crashes, Linen Sheeting, Irish Linen, and 403.

Butcher Linen, Hemstitch Scarfing, Indla Linen, Linen Madras, and 403.

Bed Spreads, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Bolster Cases. and 403.

Also several hundred remnants of Table Linen, Crashes, White Goods, etc., that have been left from the holiday rush; some are soiled, but the price is, too. Even if you are not interested come and look at 403.

MERZ BROS

TO ELECTRIFY THE LINES.

Merger of Traction Roads With the Ohio River and Columbus, Which Will Be Extended to This

City.

Georgetown (O.) Times-Democrat: "A crowd of New York capitalists were here last week looking over the railroad prorerties in this section with a view to their purchase and consolidation. The inspection took in the C., G. and P., the O. R. and C. and the C. and E. from Bethel to Portsmouth and from Sardinia to Wash- tionally well balanced ington C. H., and the whole system elec-

the Ohio River and Columbus road which Ripley and to Washington C. H. from Sardinia, and electrified.

The new system covers about 175 miles of track, and would be the only means mouth and Maysville by trolley cars.

Needham, had his right arm broken.

Fancy Tangerines.

Telephone 43. Opposite Opera House.

Hainline's toys are opened. Come and

Mr. David L. Hunter sold his crop of t bacco to Thomas L Best at 12 cents.

Mr. Richard Dawson and family have moved to Portsmouth, where Dick has been contracting for several years.

Mr. Elmer Buntin and Miss Claude Ralls, a runaway couple from Carlisle, were married in the parlors of the Reed Hotel at Lexington Thursday afternoon.

The Manistee, Wis., Advocate says of "The Mummy and the Humming Bird," Cincinnati. If the roads are taken over the attraction at the Washington, Monby this party they will be consolidated day January 9: "The play is constructed and put under one management. The upon lines which permit of the best draroad from here east will be pushed on to matic work and the company is excep-

Third Street M. E. Church-Morning From another source it is learned that services at 10:30, subject of sermon, "Source of Fresh Impulse of a New now operates between Ripley and Sar- Year:" evening, "Making a Life," of dinia is to be extended to this city from special interest to young people. Epworth League at 6:15 p. m. and Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. All are invited.

Mr. George Barker, an aged citizen of for people to reach Cincinnati from Ports- the Fifth ward, died at 1 o'clock this his son Lucien in Fifth ward. He had Mrs. Louis K. Parry entertained her been critically ill about a week. Funeral Sunday school class of ten boys at her Sunday morning at 10 o'clock from home Friday afternoon. During a game the residence. Services by Rev. Musselof catcher her eleven-year-old son, James man. Burial under auspices of G. A. R. of which deceased was a member.

G. W. GEISEL.

PERSONAL MENTION

-Mr. Geo. W. Wood left this morning for Cincinnati.

-Mr. W. S. Jeffers of Vanceburg was

in town Friday.

-Mr. B. W. Goodman was at Flemingsburg Monday. -Judge Thos. R Phister was at Flem-

ingsburg We inesday on legal business. -Mr. D. C. Frezee and wife of Lexington are spending a few days here with

-Miss Blanch Hanson of Germantown is the guest of the Misses Haughaboo of

-Miss Theresa Faber of Newport is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fiank Harting of West Second street.

-Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Cablish of Covington are visiting their parents, Mr and Mrs. Jacob Cablish of Forest avenue.

Wednesday in honor of her guests.

-Messrs. James O'Hearn of Indianapolis and John O'Hearn of Joliet, Ill., have returned after a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Hearn of Aberdeen.

-Messrs. John Duley, W. H. Means, D. Hechinger, Wm. Trouts, Chas. F. morning of heart trouble at the home of Mack, Harvey G. Wells and J. Barbour Russell were at Flemingsburg Monday.

> -Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Chunn have arrived at Chattanooga on a visit to their son, T. Reed Chunn, of the Chattanooga Mill and Mine Supply Company. They will later continue their trip to Florida and other southern points.

Ten and 13 cent hams-Calhoun's.

Chenault Dearing, son of Captain W. G. Dearing of Flemingsburg, has been appointed to the cadetship at the Annapolis Naval Academy by Congressman Bennett.

The old reliab'e Mason County Building and Saving Association have opened their books for subscription to the thirtyeight series. Apply to Thomas M. Russell or R. K. Hoeflich.

Governor Beckham has announced the appointment of Judge Robert L. Stout of Woodford County as Circuit Judge of the Fourteenth Judicial district to succeed Judge James E. Cantrill, who has been elevated to the bench of the Court of Appeals.

Mr. Fulton Redden, an employe of tle Keystone Commercial Company, and Miss Goldie Fristoe, a popular young girl, both of this city, were married Friday morning at 10 o'clock at Lexington by Rev. I. J. Spencer at his residence. They went up on the morning train and returned last night.

The funeral of Editor M. F. Marsh will be from the Christian Church to-morrow afternoon instead of the residence as at first decided upon. The services will be by Rev. Moss and the burial is to be under the auspices of the various societies to which deceased belonged. Interment in Maysville cemetery.

All of the best makes of Stoves Ranges sold by

W. F. POWER, the Stove Man.

: The Home Store!

We are now going through our stock arranging for our annual invoice. Where we find two or three suits or a few overcoats of lots that are almost closed out we lay them aside. We will be in shape to show them to-day. If you find your size you will secure a bargain. That's all www.

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Crokinole Boards from 50c to \$2.50. The Great Panic Game 25. Subscribe for Magazines now. Read the new stories. We will meet any club combination published. Price list free on application. Ladies'Home Journal and Saturday Evening Post both for \$2.25 for a year. We will furnish any periodical published.

guests of Miss Gertrude Renick at Paris. Miss Renick gave a six o'clock dinner Wadnesday is bever at the control of the contr

Club Skates, prices from 6 c to \$3.50 per pair.

Consult your own interest and see us before placing your order for cemetery work of any Work done with pneumatic tools & GARNETT MARBLE CO., 111 Sutton st.

Are wished a very happy and prosperous New Year by your friends,

J. JAS. WOOD & SON.

Call for a package of almanacs and calendars free.

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Now is your opportunity to get a stylish, up-to-date Coat at a very low price; we bought too many because they were cheap and now we are stuck. Come in and look at these. Remember you have three month's Cloak weather before you.

Price \$2.98 on Up.

Sixteen long Trimmed Coats, all sizes; \$12 values, now \$6 75.

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SAT-URDAY-Best Table Oilcloth 17c; fine Black Fur Scarf 90c; Brown Golf Gloves 25c; White Mercerized Golf Gloves 25c.



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15 Per Cent. Discount

They are more delicate and are better than oranges. We are offering some extra Grape Fruit. Malaga Grapes and sweet Florida Oranges. Crisp Lettuce, Cauliflower, Celery and the finest lot of canned Asparagus, Beets, Pears, Okra Stringless Beans and Lima Beans in the city. Commence the New Year right and order your dinner from us.

On all cash purchases of furniture between now and January 7, 1905, we will allow a discount of 15 per cent. and also give Glove Stamps.

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This is extremely liberal, but we want to keep busy. We have seven clerks idle, and it is quite discouraging to see them sitting around sucking their thumbs.

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We give Globe Stamps. Those good Stamps.



Teach Him to Economize!

Any man can save money by using a genuine three-star Safety Razor. Get him one for a New Year's gift and help him to "turn over a new leaf."

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Has taught me that in order to sell goods I have got to have them, and that in order to satisfy my trade I must sell them good goods at right prices, and in order to sell right I am compelled to buy right, and in order to buy right I must buy in large quantities from the producer. I have met every requirement and am now prepared to offer my customers extraordinary inducements. It is the SPECIAL HOLIDAY TRADE I want to talk of now. My purchase of

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is now in. Special care was taken in selecting these goods. The assortment is fine, the quality is good, the prices low. FROM 6 CENTS UP. Five hundred gross of

I don't intend to hold any over and as they were bought extremely low will be sold at prices to satisfy the purchaser.

In addition I want to call attention to my extra heavy and well assorted stock of Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Apples, Malaga Grapes, Raisins, Figs, Prunes, Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel, Dates, Buckwheat Flour, Maple Sugar and Syrup, Celery and Cranberries, Orster Cocktail Sauce, Catsup, Atmore's Mince Meat and Plum Pudding, best imported Mushroom, Sardines, Olive Oil and Olives, Preserves, Jellies, Soups, finest Harkimen County, New York, Cream Cheese, Edam, Pineapple, Swiss and Limburg Cheese, Macaroni, Spaghetti, Pickles, sweet and sour; in fact everything good to eat and of the very best. In fine Teas, Coffees, green or roasted, I have no competitor in either prices or quality of goods. Just received another shipment of these EXTRA FANCY NEW CROP MOLASSES direct from the plantation, also 500 barrels of the famous PERFECTION FLOUR My house as usual is headquarters for Poultry, Game, Oysters in bulk and cans. Special invitation to people from country to make my house headquarters when in our city. I don't intend to hold any over and as they were bought extremely low will be sold at prices

The Leading Grocer. Wholesale and Retail.

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Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, **Umbrellas** and Silverware.

Now is the time to select your Xmas presents while our stock is complete. Our tremendous stock of Watches will be sold unusually low.

DAN PERRINE. JEWELER.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Slattery entertained a number of their friends with a six-o'clock dinner and dance Thursday evening at their home near Lewisburg. here to-day for burial.

Those from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mackey of Covington, Mrs. Anna Lyston of Maysville, Miss Mackey of Moransburg, Miss Byron of Washington and Miss Helen Slattery and brothers of Tuckahoe.

Revenue Assignments.

The following January assignments for the local distilleries have been announced by Collector Roberts:

The H. E. Pogue Distilling Co.-H. G. Holiday, day; Oscar Grigsby, additional and bottling; J. R. Dagley, additional; L. M. Gaffin, gauger. J. H. Rogers-H. S. Bell, storekeeper-gauger. Poyntz Bros-W. C. Slye, storekeeper-gauger. The H. E. Pogue Distillery Co., (rectifiers)-L M. Gaffin, gauger.

The remains of Clarence Broadwell, who died in Cincinnati, will be brought and First National Bank, \$20 in paper. Rehere to-day for burial.

NCF LICENSE NOTICE.

All licenses expire on December 31st and be-comes due on January 1st of each year as follows, with penalty attached for non-compliance: Auctioneers.

Billiard, Pool and Pigeon-hole Tables.....
Bowling and Teupin Alleys...
Shooting Gallery...

Life and Fire Insurance Agents...

Plate Glass and Accident Insurance
Agents... day.... Wholesale Liquor Dealers...... Agency for Wholesale Liquors.... Barroom Itinerant Peddlers, temporary residents,

Fedding from two-norse wagon.
Foot Peddler, stock of less than \$25, per day.
Food Peddler, stock of \$25, per day.....
Storage of Petroleum and other Oils, exceeding five barrels...

Petroleum, selling from one-horse wagon either at wholesale or retail, to merchant or consumers. or consumers...... Petroleum, selling from two-horse wagon. Cart or dray

One-horse wagon. Two-horse wagon. Astrologers and Fortune Tellers, per day,
Bill Posters.
Boarding Houses, public.
Bowie Knives, Slung Shots, Brass Knucks
and Dirk Knives.
Brokers.

Cigarettes Eating Houses Junk Shops Laundries Livery Stables. Lunch Stands... Playing Cards...... Real Estate Agents.

Scales on Private Property for compensa-

Scales upon streets... Owners of drays, carts and wagons are required by law to tack the tags on all vehicles so licensed. W. E. STALLCUP, Mayor.

NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Maysville and Mason County Cemetery Company at Judge Cochran's office, Court street, at 4 p. m. January 2, 1905.

A. M. J. COCHRAN, J. F. BARBOUR, J. B. RUSSELL, W. H. COX, JOHN DULEY, C. C. C. CALHOUN.

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Your energy, burn your lethargy and pay me a visit.

\$1,500 LOSS

to those who did not buy the sixteen Pianos that I have sold the past two weeks. Only eight new Pianos left. I want to sell five of them before inventory. These eight are lovely designs in standard makes. The name on the fall board is a house-hold word in every musical community. Any artist will gladly pronounce judgment upon them. They fulfill the artists idea. Artist's are familiar with Ebersole Pianos. Fifty-two Conservatories of Music in the United States use Ebersoles. You will have to hurry.

. R. LINDAMOOD,

Wholesale Representative of Smith & Nixon Piano Co.'s Exhibit at Winter's Store.

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WANTED-Energetic, trustworthy man or woman to work in Kentucky, representing large manufacturing company. Salary \$40 to \$90 per month, paid weekly; expenses advanced. Address with stamp, J. H. MOORE, Maysville, Ky.

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FOUND-One of Hunt's stamp books. Owner a can have same by proving property and paying cost of this advertisement. FOUND-Monday night, a lady's purse. Owner can have same by paying for advertisement and calling for and proving property at G. W. Alton's residence, fair grounds.

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Maysville Coal Co.

'PHONE 142.

Start the New Year Right

Resolve to do your business with us. Our prices are right. Our goods are right. Our treatment is right. Call and you'll be right.

Jno.C.Pecor,

PHARMACIST.

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Monday, January 9.

"The Mummy and the Humming Bird."

Recommended as being first-class in every way.

Wednesday, January 11,

The Great Lafayette

The mystery expounder and his own company, band and orchestra, presenting a vaudeville bill of rare excellence.

Friday, January 13,

The one you have wanted to know the date.

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We cure cancer without the knife. Very little pain. Have cured over twenty cases in Mason County during the last ten years. We send a free book upon request which tells all about method of treatment. Will refer you to Mr. Geo. S. Rosser of this paper. Seldon W. Bramel, Wedonia, Ky., Mrs. Joel T. Luman, Mt. Carmel, Ky., Wm. Bramel, North Fork, Ky., and a dozen others in your own county if you wish them. Write for free book at once.

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The rush will soon be on. If you want any Framing for the holidays bring them in before we get so busy. We can give better satisfaction. We have a large stock of Oval Frames, all sizes, cheap.

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